Docket No. 125A 3448 Date: July 15, 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application for inventor(s):

KAZUNARI MATOBA

Also enclosed are:

For: CONNECTION ASSEMBLY HAVING COMMUNICATION FUNCTION AND MEDICAL APPARATUS USING THE CONNECTION ASSEMBLY

Applicant claims Small Entity Status

(to follow)

Preliminary Amendment

		C	ALCULAT	TION OF FEES					
ITEM		TOTAL NO. OF CLAIMS		NO. OF CLAIMS OVER BASE	LG/SM \$ ENTITY FEE		\$ AMOUNT	\$ FEE	
Α	TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	16[25]	-20	5	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$18	\$ 90		
В	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	2	-3	0	LG=\$84 SM=\$42	\$84	\$ 0		
С	SUBTOTAL - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE (ADD FINAL COLUMN IN LINES A + B)							\$	90
D	MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$28 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$14							\$	280
E	BASIC FEE LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$750 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$375							\$	750
F	TOTAL FILING FEE (ADD TOTALS FOR LINES C, D, AND E)							\$	1,120
G	ASSIGNMENT RECORDING FEE						\$ 40	\$	0
	*LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 1, 10								

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Respectfully submitted, KODA & ANDROLIA

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